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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

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1418-101

First named inventor: ADELAIDE, Jean Michel et al

Application No.: 10/088043

Art Unit: 3661

Filed: 19 June 2002

Examiner: Zanelli, M. J.

Title: PORTABLE DEVICE SUPPLYING TOURIST INFORMATION

Attention: Office of Petitions
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APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee - required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

☐ Small entity-fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Other than small entity - fee \$ 1500 (37 CFR 1.17(m))

2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in the form of _____ (identify type of reply):

- ☐ has been filed previously on _____.
- ☐ is enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee and publication fee (if applicable) of \$ 1400.

- ☐ has been paid previously on _____.
- ☒ is enclosed herewith.

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3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee


☒ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ _____ for a small entity or \$ _____ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE: The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D)).]

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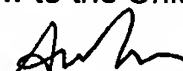
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SERIAL NO.: 10/088,043

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EXAMINER: Zanelli, M.J.



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STATEMENT OF FACTS

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), the following is a statement of delay caused by unintentional circumstances.

1. The present application completed filing requirements to enter U.S. national stage on 19 June 2002, claiming priority from a French patent application.
2. A Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due was sent on September 12, 2005, and no response was filed. The issue fee was not paid. The application was constructively abandoned on December 12, 2005.
3. A Notice of Abandonment was received on December 19, 2005.
4. Applicant did not intend for the application to be abandoned. Applicant has submitted the issue fee transmittal to complete the requirements for issuance. There were no formal drawings required because the International application contained

compliant drawings. Applicant respectfully petitions for revival so that the application will issue.

5. The present petition is less than three months after the date the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office sent the notice of abandonment to Applicant's attorney because the three month deadline is March 19, 2006. The present petition is being filed on March 19, 2006.
6. The present petition is less than one year after the date of actual abandonment by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. The one year deadline is December 12, 2006.
7. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

Applicant petitions for revival based upon unintentional delay, and Applicant has included a proper response, comprising transmittal of the issue fee. Applicant files the required reply to secure revival of the patent application for issuance as an official Letters Patent.

The present Petition for Revival is less than one year of the actual abandonment and less than three months after receiving notice of Abandonment. The entire period of delay, until the filing of the present grantable petition, was unintentional.

Applicant respectfully requests granting the Petition to Revive because the Applicant never intended for the application to be abandoned. The government fee of \$1500 is attached. Any additional fees for the petition to revive or any overpayment with regard to this petition and issue fee may be credited or debited to Deposit Account 08-0879.

Respectfully submitted,



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